



**Minutes
City of Tempe Transportation Commission
Bicycle Committee
October 10, 2007**

Minutes of the city of Tempe Transportation Commission Bicycle, Planning & Project Review Committee held on Wednesday, October 10, 2007 at 3:30 p.m. at the Tempe Transit Office, 20 E. Sixth Street, Tempe, Arizona.

Members Present: Marcellus Lisotta, Chris Crosby, Steve Bass, Roy Hoyt, John Minett, Joan Westlake

Members Absent: Niels Koepke, Judi Nelson, Lucy Logan, Catherine Mayorga, Corey Woods, Bryan Young

City Staff Present: Eric Iwersen, Tanya Chavez

Guests: None

Agenda Item 1 – Consideration of Minutes from August 8, 2007

Minutes were accepted as presented

Agenda Item 2 – Public Appearances

No public comment.

Agenda Item 3 – Shared Streets/Space

John Minett provided a powerpoint presentation on European shared street/space concepts. The concept includes the following

- Minimizing or eliminating all signage and striping
- Emphasizing non-motorized travel as the street priority
- Street furniture and unexpected elements contribute to a calming of the street
- With lack of signage and striping the driver is made to drive slower in order to navigate the uncontrolled environment

Agenda Item 4 – University & Rural Station Design

Bonnie Richardson not at meeting to provide update.

Agenda Item 5 – Transportation Center

Bonnie Richardson not at meeting to provide update.

Agenda Item 6 – Bike Achievement Award

Joan Westlake and Eric Iwersen presented the draft policies and procedures for the award. Details of the program will be determined at the November meeting.

Agenda Item 7 – 11 Mile Bike Ride

Staff will check with Light Rail Division staff to see feasibility of bike ride along rail corridor in Tempe.

Agenda Item 8 – Other Project Updates

- College Avenue Traffic Calming: project concepts are developed and will begin test phase in early 2008.
- Crosscut Canal Path Phase II: project kick off has occurred and design will be sensitive to unique and natural Papago Park environment. Project has federal funds.

Agenda Item 9 – Future Agenda Items

Agenda Item 10 – Adjournment

Meeting adjourned at 5pm

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Reviewed by: Tanya Chavez